GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE
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DEMAND FOR THE PHYSIOTHERAPY
SURESH CHANDEL

Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government are aware that the demand for physiotherapists services in the country is increasing due to the compulsory need for physiotherapy treatment in the event of failure of various types of surgery;

(b) if so, whether the Government have made any assessment of the requirement of physiotherapists in the country in future;

(c) if so, the details thereof; and

(d) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (PROF. RITA VERMA)

(a) to (d) Government is conscious of the increasing demand for physiotherapy treatment in the country. However, no specific survey has so far been carried out to assess the requirement.